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SENATOR GOODRICH: The humane society doesn't do anything relative to charging the amount for a dog license. The local city council has to do that, or in your case, maybe the county board.

SENATOR KEYES: The humane society in Sarpy County certainly could if we gave them the authority to.

SENATOR GOODRICH: If your county board gave them the authority to.

SENATOR KEYES: The Legislature could give them the authority, I would think.

SENATOR GOODRICH: We could, I suppose, if we rewrote the whole darn thing.

SENATOR KEYES: I will talk to my kennel people.

SENATOR GOODRICH: All this does, Orval, is it lets the local city council or county board set the amount that can be charged in that county for dog license and that money goes through the city council to the humane society to cover the cost of their operation. Now if they have a sufficient amount of money to operate, granted, they can go out and inspect the kennels themselves and if there are things going on that are wrong in the kennels, I think they will be glad to take care of it because they are rather humane when it comes to the treatment of animals, the watchdog of the state.

PRESIDENT: The question is....Senator Dickinson.

SENATOR DICKINSON: We spent most of the morning taking privileges away from local entities of government, telling them what to do. I just want to commend Senator Goodrich for giving some privileges back to them.

PRESIDENT: The question is the advancement of the bill. Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced.

CLERK: LB 565 introduced by Urban Affairs and signed by the members thereof. A bill, read title. There are Committee amendments by Senator Rasmussen's Government Committee. There are additional amendments by Senator Barnett.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. Chairman, are we on LB 565.

PRESIDENT: Yes, sir.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Our Committee did not hear this bill. It is an Urban Affairs bill.